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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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For: Polymer Conjugates with Decreased Antigenicity, Methods of Preparation and Uses Thereof
Inventors: MARTINEZ *et al.*
Our Ref: 2057.0040002/BJD/JKM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$180.00 to cover fee for IDS;
2. Eleventh Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c);
3. Form PTO/SB/08A listing cited documents **US4-US9** and **FP6-FP10**;
4. Form PTO/SB/08B listing cited documents **NPL13** and **NPL14**;
5. Copies of cited documents **FP6-FP10**, **NPL13**, and **NPL14**; and
6. Return postcard.

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Copies of documents **FP6-FP10** to **NPL13-NPL14** are submitted. However, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2), copies of the U.S. patents, documents **US4-US9**, cited on the attached IDS Form PTO/SB/08A are not submitted.

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